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Battery Park City Wayfinding and Signage

PROJECT GOALS

Create a simple, strong, and memorable sign system for Battery Park City that will:

- Create a unified BPC public experience
- Respect the character of BPC
- Respond to the needs of the users of BPC
- Be easy to maintain and update

WHAT WE HEARD - RECAP FROM JULY CB1

Regulatory Signs

- Rules should be displayed prominently
- Use symbols to identify rules
- Don't just tell people what they can't do, instead offer alternative locations for specific activities

Bike Signs

- Signage should be prominent and highly visible
- Color should not be too bright

ADA/Accessibility

- Ensure sufficient contrast for those with impaired vision
- Study height of maps to provide consistency and visibility for shorter people/people in wheelchairs

Additional Thoughts

- Overall concept was accepted
- Signage should direct to public restrooms
- Gateway sign design felt too commercial / leaf shape looks like surf boards
- Illumination could be helpful since it becomes dark early in winter and buildings block sunlight
- Wayfinding signage will not be digital, LinkNYC being considered for digital kiosks
- Consider connection back to NYC wayfinding signs

Design Development

TYPOGRAPHY

Helvetica Neue Regular

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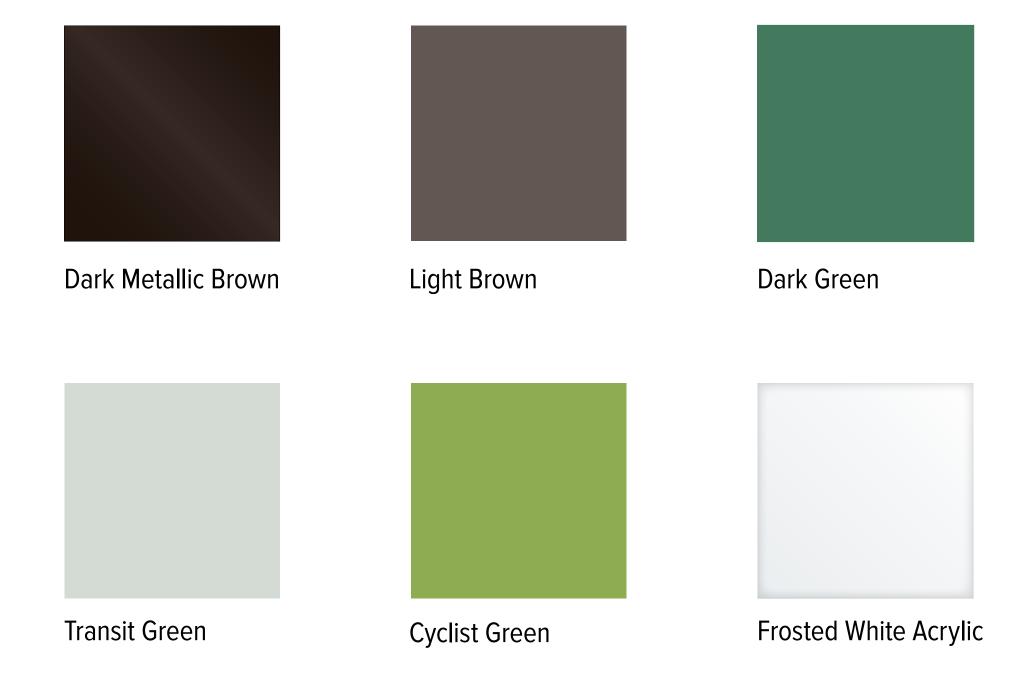
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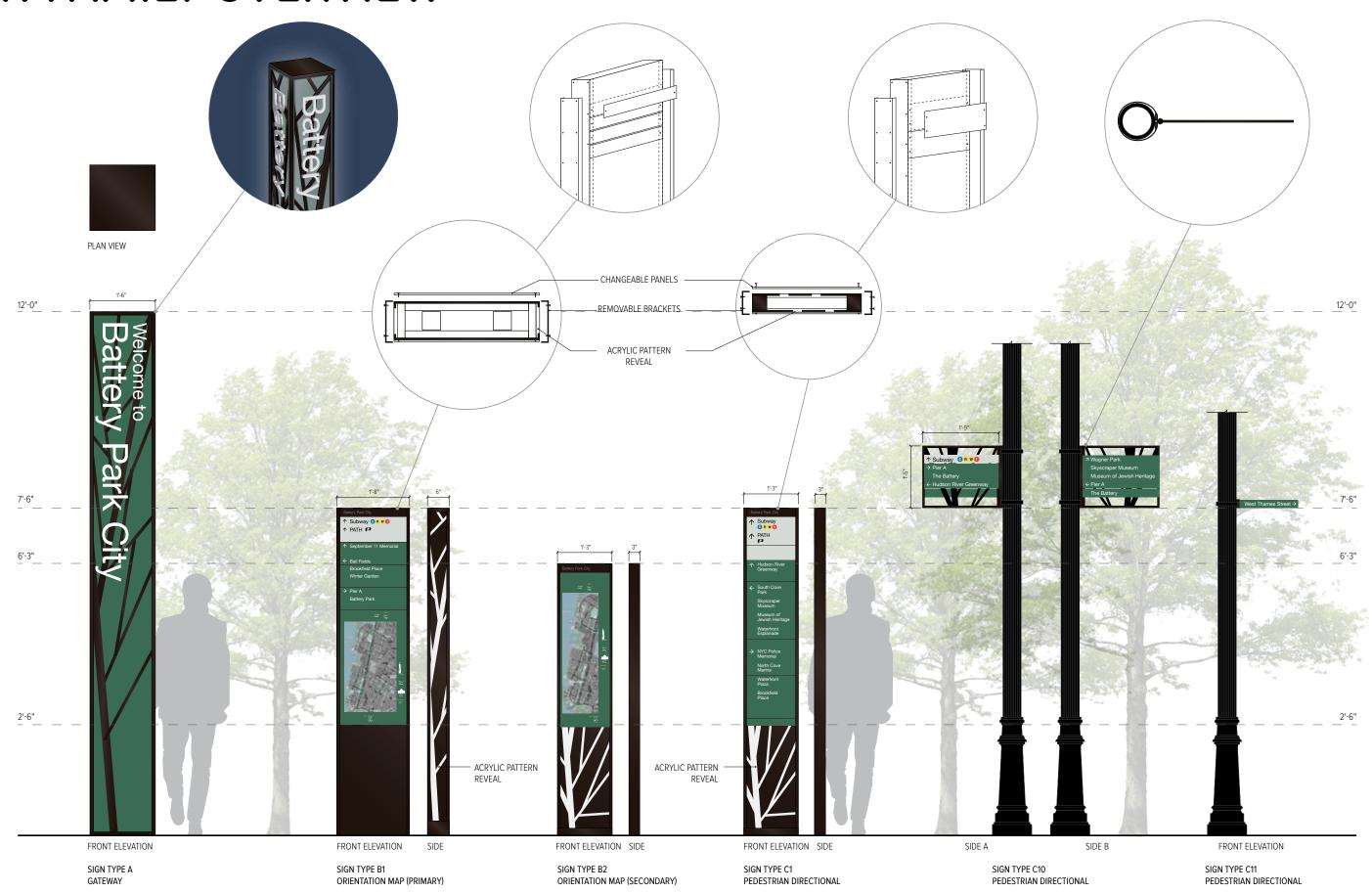
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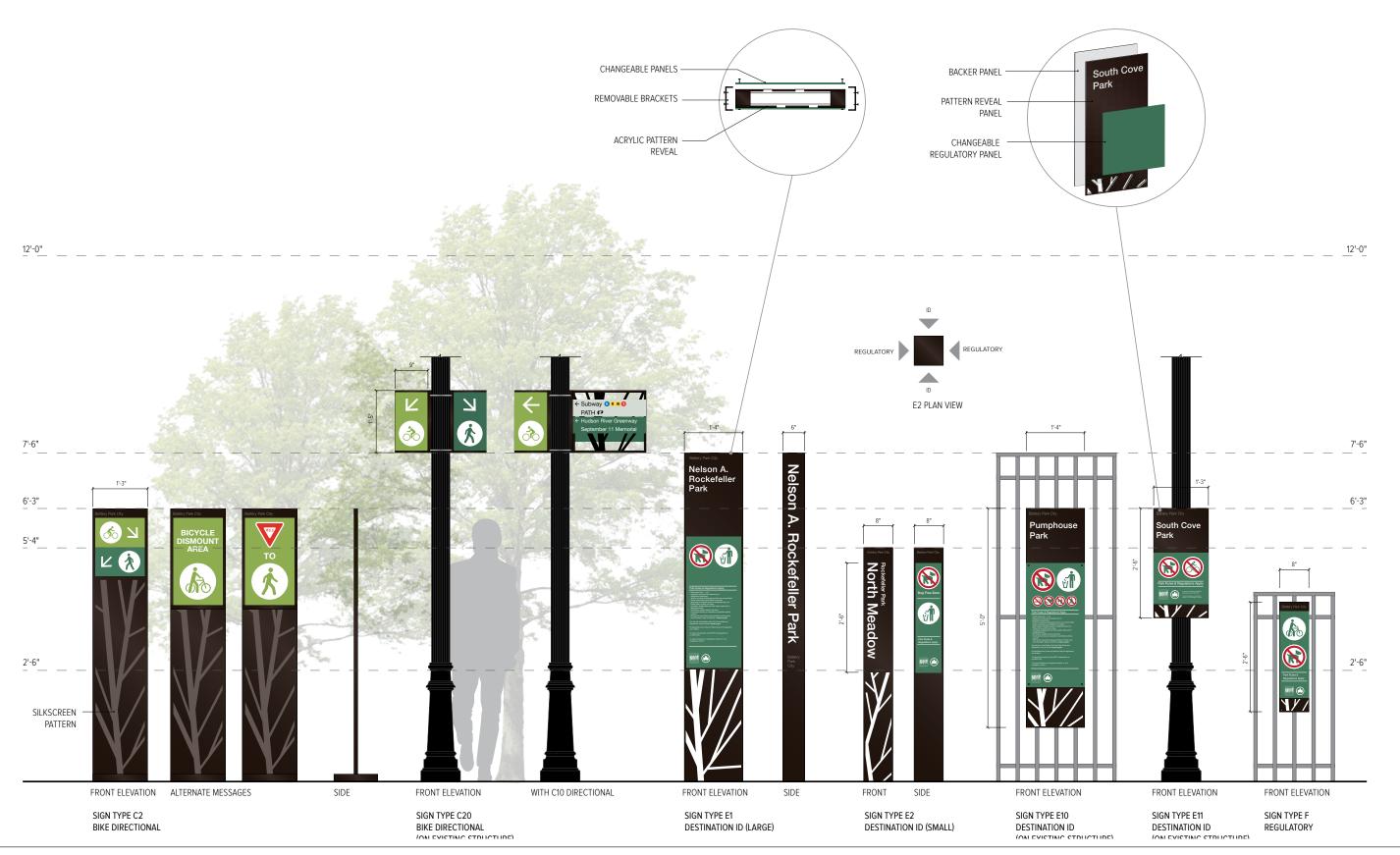
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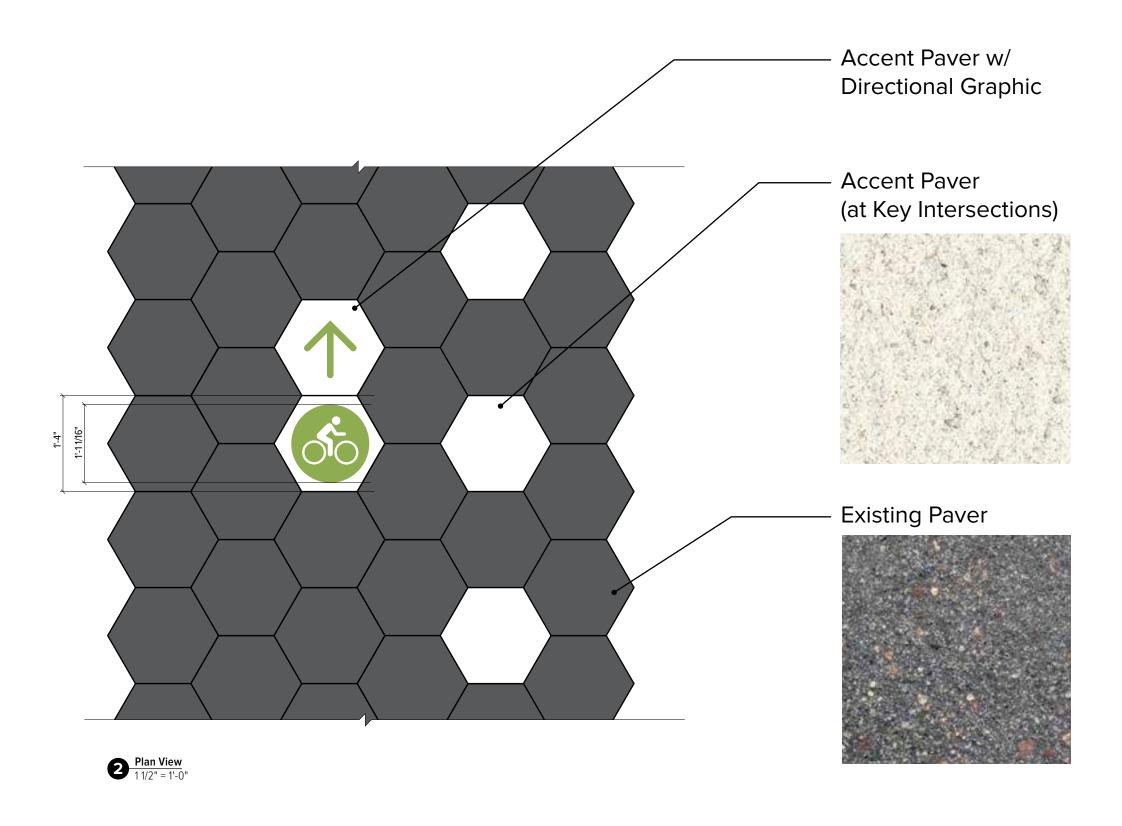
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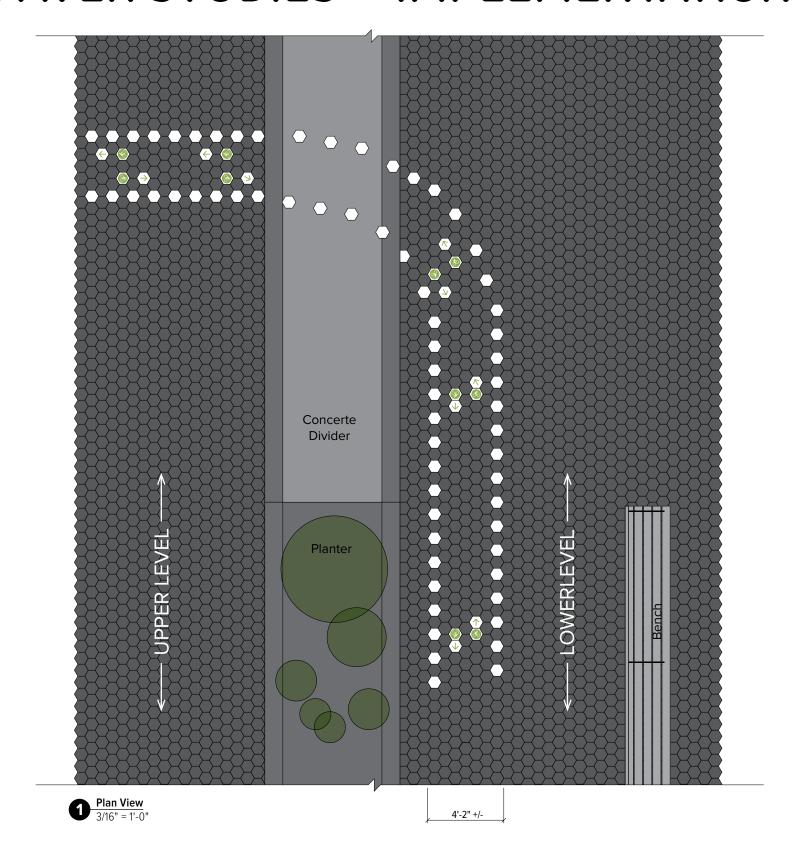
PAVER STUDIES



Coney Island Precedent



PAVER STUDIES - IMPLEMENTATION AT KEY INTERSECTIONS





West Thames Street

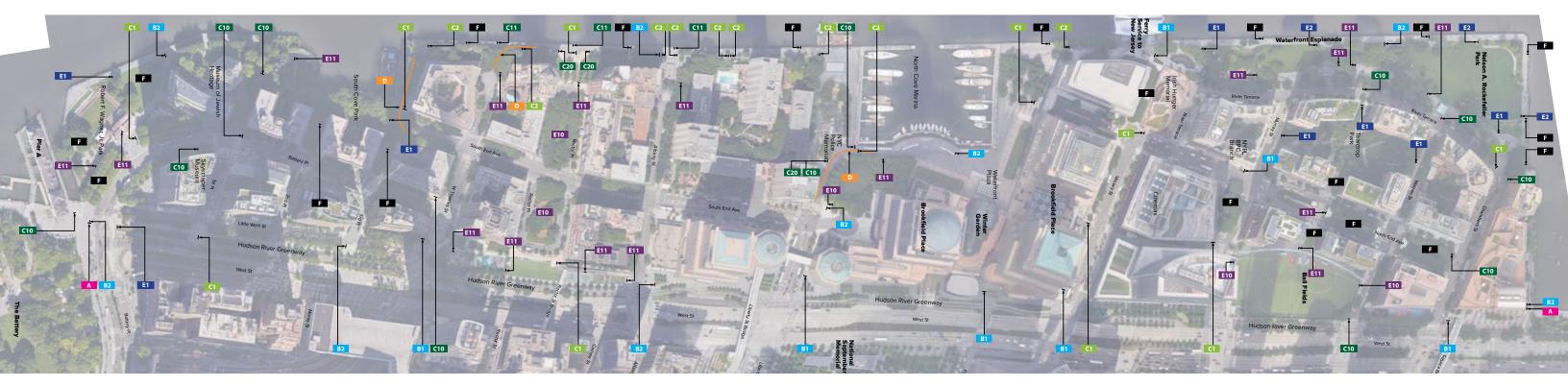






Liberty Street

PRELIMINARY SIGN LOCATIONS



KEY		
SIGN TYPE	SIGN DESCRIPTION	PRELIMI- NARY QTY
A	Gateway	2
B1	Map Pylon (Large)	7
B2	Map Pylon (Small)	9
C1	Directional Pylon	10
C10	Directional (on Existing Structure)	13
C11	Directional (on Existing Structure, Small)	3
C2	Directional Pylon (Bike)	9
C20	Directional Pylon (Bike, on Existing Structure)	3
D	Pavers	3
E1	Destination ID Pylon (Large)	8
E2	Destination ID Pylon (Small)	3
E10	Destination ID (on Existing Structure, Large)	3
E11	Destination ID (on Existing Structure, Small)	16
F	Regulatory	60

